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FM AMEMBASSY TEGUCIGALPA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5793

UNCLAS TEGUCIGALPA 4508

DEPARTMENT PASS OFFICE OF DIRECTOR OF MINT

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EIND, HO, US

SUBJECT: MINTING OF COINS FOR HONDURAS

1. EMBASSY TRANSMITTED DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY LETTER TO CENTRAL BANK QUOTING COSTS FOR PREPARATION OF 50 CENTAVO COINS AND 2 SAMPLE COINS TO CENTRAL BANK 11/26.
2. CENTRAL BANK PREPARING REPLY NOT YET RECEIVED BY EMBASSY BUT SUBSTANCE OBTAINED BY TELEPHONE.
3. CENTRAL BANK WILL REQUEST EMBASSY MEDIATION CONCERNING PRICES. CENTRAL BANK WILL STATE THAT IT REQUESTED DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY PURCHASE METAL FOR COINS AT SOME PREVIOUS DATE AND THAT PRICE QUOTED IN LAST TREASURY LETTER SIGNIFICANTLY HIGHER.
4. EMBASSY REQUESTS DEPARTMENT REVIEW WITH TREASURY PREVIOUS CORRESPONDENCE IN ORDER TO CONFIRM OR REJECT CENTRAL BANK CONTENTION. IF REVIEW SHOULD SHOW CENTRAL BANK CORRECT, PLEASE FORWARD REVISED QUOTES BY CABLE AS POUCH SERVICE VERY SLOW.  
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